

WIPP Management and Operations (M&O) Procurement

Pre-Proposal Conference / Site Tour

DOE will conduct a pre-proposal conference and site tour for this procurement. DOE has scheduled these activities to be held on July 12 and July 13, 2011.

Schedule

Tuesday 12 July 2011: Pre-Proposal Conference - Skeen Whitlock Building Auditorium

Skeen Whitlock Building Address:

U. S. Department of Energy
Carlsbad Field Office
4021 National Parks Highway
Carlsbad, NM 88220

- 12:30- 1:00: Registration
- 1:00-1:30: Introduction – Bill Hensley/Oba Vincent
- 1:30-2:00: Site Overview – Ed Ziemianski
- 2:00-3:30: Pre-proposal Conference – Bill Hensley
- 3:30-4:00: Safety Video(s)
- 4:00-4:30: Tour registration

Wednesday – 13 July 2011: Site Tour

Meet at the Skeen Whitlock building at 7:30 a.m. for bus transportation to the site. Individuals participating in the tour must be preregistered and dressed appropriately: sturdy shoes (no sandals, open toed shoes, or high heels), long pants.

The tour will be split into two groups. One group will tour the above ground facilities while the second goes underground. The entire tour will last approximately 3 hours (not including transportation). Food will not be provided, but snacks may be brought on the bus but not taken on the tour.

SECURITY

Security requirements dictate that all participants remain with the tour group for the duration of the tour. There are also several prohibited items that are not allowed at the WIPP Site or CBFO. These items are real or simulated firearms and ammunition, stun guns, alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs and paraphernalia, explosives, hand-held weapons, chemical irritants, and items prohibited by state and federal law. Other items not allowed on the tour are copying devices, electronic recording devices, cameras, radios, cellular telephones, blackberries (an emergency number will be available), and knives with blades more than three inches long. Contraband brought to the WIPP or CBFO Site will be confiscated.

Please be aware that all hand carried items (packages, briefcases, handbags, purses, etc.) will be inspected. The DOE will not be responsible for securing any items during the tour so it is recommended they be locked in your vehicle. Please keep hand-carried items to a minimum.